

The Janesville Daily Gazette.

VOLUME 33

Entered at the Post-Office at Janesville, Wis., as Second-Class Mail Matter.

JANESVILLE, WISCONSIN, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1889.

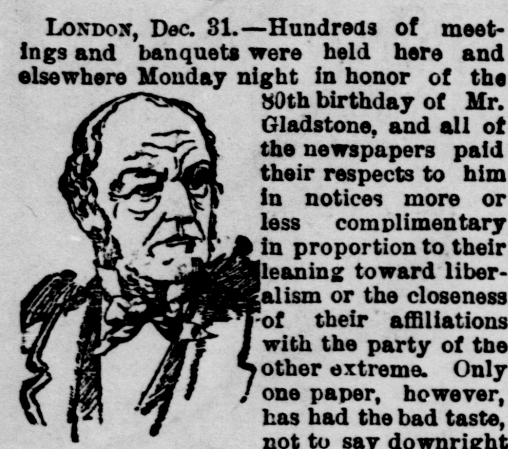
Published Every Evening, Except Sunday, at \$5 Per Year.

NUMBER 249

HONORING MR. GLADSTONE

HIS BIRTHDAY APPROPRIATELY CELEBRATED.

Meetings and Banquets Commemorative of the Event—Dom Pedro Prostrated—Foreign News.



LONDON, Dec. 31.—Hundreds of meetings and banquets were held here and elsewhere Monday night in honor of the 80th birthday of Mr. Gladstone, and all of the newspapers paid their respects to him in notices more or less complimentary in proportion to their leaning toward liberalism or the closeness of their affiliations with the party of the other extreme. Only one paper, however, has had the bad taste not to say downright w. e. gladstone, brutally, to seize the opportunity afforded by the occasion to openly attack the ex-premier, this exhibition of virulent party spite being made by the St. James Gazette, which declares that he is supported only by "Jacobins, gutter yahoos, and ignorant slaves." To this scurrilous outburst, however, nobody has paid the slightest attention, and doubtless the author and abettors of the article are now heartily ashamed of their work. Mr. Gladstone has sent the newspapers a general reply of thanks to those who sent him congratulations. He refers to the indulgence shown him in the public estimation of his parliamentary and public labors and says he hopes it will help to make him watchful to avoid errors. Among the congratulations received by Mr. Gladstone were telegrams from Lord Tennyson and the Egyptian khedive.

NOT LA GRIPPE, BUT POISON.

An Alleged Attempt Upon the Life of the Czar.

PARIS, Dec. 31.—A private letter from St. Petersburg says that the recent so-called "relapse" of the Czar, which has been suffering, but from which he had completely recovered. The symptoms of his illness were different and much more dangerous. The Czar, while apparently in good health, was suddenly taken with violent pains in the stomach after leaving the dinner table. His attendants were greatly alarmed, and he was summoned to the hospital. The doctor's diagnosis was that the Czar was suffering from a severe case of poisoning. The letter containing the above intelligence was not intrusted to the mails, where it would have been subject to inspection, but was brought to Paris. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 31.—The Czar is suffering with congestion of the lungs.

ALMOST A REALITY.

Mme. Bernhardt, While Rehearsing, Is Almost Burned to Death.

PARIS, Dec. 31.—A sensational incident occurred last evening during the dress rehearsal of "The Queen of Sheba" at the Porte St. Martin. Mme. Bernhardt was Joan, and she progressed so far as the scene of the burning of the temple, when she was to be burned at the stake, and Bernhardt had been above them, when the faggots burst into flames, having caught fire in the hands of some stage hand. The actress shrieked with terror and was extricated from the burning pile while still unconscious. She was carried into the green-room, where she soon recovered and it was found she had sustained no injury outside a nervous shock.

DOM PEDRO PROSTRATED.

Overcome with Grief at the Death of His Wife—Meeting with His Daughter.

OSCAR, Dec. 31.—Dom Pedro continues utterly prostrated. The doctors have advised that efforts be made to rouse him by conversation, but he does not respond to any one's questions. The count and countess d'Eu arrived here yesterday. The ex-emperor's meeting with his daughter was of a painful character. The funeral of the late Empress is fixed for Jan. 4. The Pope has sent his benediction to the deceased. The Spanish court will wear mourning for twenty-four days for the ex-empress.

PART OF A CONSPIRACY.

Mr. Farnell Says the O'Shea's Action Was Done for Political Effect.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Mr. Farnell declares that Capt. O'Shea's action for divorce, with which his name has been connected as co-respondent, has been brought forward for political effect and is part of a conspiracy to break him down. He says Secretary Huston of the Royal Union, who figured before the special Farnell commission as a banking expert, is now a lackey of the O'Shea's and has instigated him to take advantage of the fact that he (Farnell) O'Shea's house from 1886 to 1888.

TEN MURDERED.

Prisoners and Their Escorts Killed in Africa.

Dec. 31.—Intelligence has been received from Obock, a French settlement on the Red Sea, that on the east coast of Africa two French missionaries, who were traveling from Zelleh to Harar, were the escort of eight Greeks, were attacked by natives and all the party murdered.

New American Bishops.

Rome, Dec. 31.—The Pope has announced the following bishops in America: Marty, Sioux Falls; Zardetti, St. Cloud; Vandervy, Richmond; McGurick, Duluth; Stanley, Jamestown, and Cotter, Winona. The Pope has also bestowed cardinal's hats upon the archbishops of Paris, Lyons and Prague, and announces his intention of creating two new cardinals in Africa. It is presumed that Mr. Baccelli and Mr. Sottili will be the new cardinals.

England Signs a Treaty with Bulgaria.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—England and Bulgaria have signed a provisional commercial agreement which will take effect Jan. 1 and continue in force for two years.

From Richmond, Va.—I sell a great deal of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and find that it gives better satisfaction than any other Cough Syrup.

I, WILSON MOSELEY, Druggist, "Once upon a midnight dreary," when I tossed so sad and weary, upon my bed half mad with pain, a friend brought me a bottle of Salvation Oil. It cured me. I needed this, and "nothing more."

A fresh supply of candies for New Years at Denniston's.

Our clock sales so far away ahead of

MONTANA'S DEADLOCK.

Republicans Make a Final Proposition to Break It.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 31.—The Republicans have made what they term their final attempt to break the legislative deadlock. It was proposed to the Democrats that all the members of the Legislature from Silver Bow county go home and that the members of the House whose seats are not contested, twenty-four from each party, meet, elect a Speaker and appoint a committee of three Democrats and three Republicans to investigate the alleged frauds in the Homestead tunnel project, both branches of the Legislature to adjourn for twenty days to give the committee time to report. The Democrats have not yet decided whether they will accept or not. Meanwhile the Republican caucus for the nomination of United States Senators is postponed until such time as the Democrats make up their minds what to do. There are no new features in the Republican contest for the Senate seats except that Leo Mantle is growing weaker.

ALMOST A TRAGEDY.

Hot-Headed Montana Legislators Pull Their Guns, but Are Disarmed.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 31.—The bitter feuding engendered by the resignations of McCallister and Hamilton, of the Silver Bow judgeship and the subsequent reapportionment of Montana, Dec. 31.—The Governor, Thomas, almost culminated in a tragedy today. Hamilton and Sheriff Lloyd, who refuses to surrender the office to the Democratic sheriff-elect, met in the hotel and Lloyd began abusing Hamilton. Both men pulled their guns, but the waiters grabbed them and the shots took effect in the ceiling. The men swear they will shoot each other on sight and further trouble is expected.

THE JEROME PARK TRACK.

American Pony Association Will Probably Lease the Grounds of the Old Club.

New York, Dec. 31.—It is reported here as probable that the American Pony Racing Association will lease the track of the defunct Jerome Park Association for a play ground. Representatives of the American Pony Racing Association, the Huntington, the Country Club of Westchester, and the Essex county club held a meeting recently, at which plans were taken for the formation of the organization modeled on the plan of the National Pony and Galloway Racing association of England. It is believed that the association will start with a membership of between 200 and 600. The object of the association is to regulate the racing of the ponies, which has become general among the hunting and country clubs. Under the rules to be adopted, which follow those of the English model—the ponies and their owners and riders are to be registered, and no pony is to be allowed on the tracks of the association of which registration has not been three-fold. There will consequently be no racing under false colors. The promoters of this movement desire to encourage healthy, amusing, honest sport. The betting element will be kept in the background—it may be eliminated entirely—in which case sport could be practiced in fall and spring without infringing the law.

FREAKS OF THE BLIZZARD.

Extraordinary Accompanying the Storm in the Northwest.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 31.—Advises indicate that the great snow storm of Saturday extended over a large area. Rumors were rife in the newspaper office that many wires were down and that travel must be delayed. The center of the disturbance appears to have been at Huron, S. D., where the wind rose to the north and the storm increased until it became a veritable blizzard, blowing fifty miles an hour. The memorable experience of two years ago prevented people from unduly exposing themselves to the prairie, where the results are anticipated. The storm has been marked in places by singular phenomena. At Winona, Minn., rain descended in great sheets, and the whole city was flooded. When the rain stopped the mercury fell 20 degrees in three hours. People can skate to business this morning. At other points electrical disturbances preceded the fall of snow. Duluth was visited by a severe blizzard, ushering in the heaviest snowfall of the season. Much damage has been done in the city, and street cars are blocked. Trains are delayed by drifts in many places. The wires are now up near Calgary, and Lieut. Walsh of the United States signal service reports that a cold wave was started from that region forty hours ago and is moving this way.

A RATE WAR.

What the Dissolution of the Western Passenger Association Means.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 31.—The dissolution of the Western Passenger Association will be followed by a war of rates. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company has announced a cut of \$2.50 in the first-class rate from St. Paul to Chicago and a cut of 70 cents in the rate in the same class to Milwaukee. In order to avoid a violation of the interstate commerce law the company will have to cut its rates to Kansas City, Sioux City, and Council Bluffs. The officers of the St. Paul, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company have been notified of the Chicago, Burlington & Northern charges. Wisconsin Central road, whose refusal to enter the Western Passenger association caused the dissolution of that organization, with making secret rates with steamship companies on parties of immigrants bound for the Northwest.

"LA GRIPPE" IN NEW YORK.

Nearly 300 Policemen Laid Up With Influenza.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—According to the official record nearly 300 policemen are laid up with the "grippe." This number includes Inspector Steers. A number of sergeants and detectives are also laid up, while several captains are on the sick list.

Break in the "Huckhorn Wall."

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 31.—About seventy-five feet of the famous "Huckhorn wall," on the Cheat river grade of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, four miles east of Wheeling, gave way at an early hour this morning, and fell down an embankment 300 feet toward Cheat river below. Traffic on the road will not be interfered with.

Hanlan Wants to Row Gaudaur.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Edward Hanlan is out with a reply to the challenge of Jake Gaudaur, in which he says he will row Gaudaur a single scull race for \$5,000 to \$5,000, the race to be rowed before next July. Hanlan mentions a number of lakes upon which the race may be rowed, but finally leaves the choice to a referee.

A Wandering Arab and a Spanish Truckman Win \$200,000.

Two tickets sold in this city for the October drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery drew big prizes. The lucky ticket holders were Hansa Mohammed, one of the Arabian jugglers and Anthony Somerville who does the trucking of Hawley & Hoops, confectioners, 271 Mulberry St. Mohammed held one twentieth of ticket 71,333 drawing second capital prize of \$100,000. The ticket held by Somerville was number 63,856 and drew one twentieth of the first capital prize of \$300,000. The money came through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.—New York.

SENATORIAL INQUIRIES.

Continuing the Dressed Beef Investigation.

Cattle Dealers Tell of Evasions of the Inter-State Law—Our Relations With Canada.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The Senate committee appointed to inquire into the transportation and sale of meat products of the United States met today. T. C. Eastman, a cattle dealer, testified that there was nothing to stimulate dealers of cattle in this city since the interstate law went into effect. He claimed that certain car companies got mileage and pay part of that mileage to original shippers and railways in the West to induce them to ship their cattle by their roads. He charged the Lackawanna road with this offense and said the shipments to England have increased about 40,000 head during the last year. He did not think beef dressed in the West as good as it was ten years ago, because the cattle raisers throw inferior cattle on the market. Bernard Beckmeier, a dealer in cattle and canned meats, said that he did not think the extreme cold of the arctic regions would have any effect on either fresh or salt canned meats, except that after any length of time during which it was frozen it might lose some of its flavor on being thawed out. He does not export canned meats, but sells meats to hotels and restaurants. He buys his cattle in Chicago and pays the highest price for his purchases. He would not say that the meat was the best in the market. He said that every pound of the beef was utilized, including the blood, hoofs, etc.—in fact, nothing is wasted. The net profit on a beef he could not tell without figuring it up. This he was directed to do. He finally said \$4.95 would be a fair estimate on each steer. This included all expenses of transportation. Joseph Schwarzschild was the next witness. He is a slaughterer in this city. He buys all his cattle in Chicago, getting the middle and good class. The cattle weigh from 1,200 to 1,500 pounds. A 1,200-pound steer costs about \$3.70 a cwt. Transportation costs about \$5 to \$6 a head. William Ottman said he was doing business at a loss now. He averages a profit, however, the year round of 1 of a cent a pound. He brings stock from Chicago and New York. Henry Zahn testified to the same point. He said the best meat came from the West. Eastern meat was classed as second and third. Witnesses had been taken from the business twenty years and never received any benefit from any railroad or car company which he patronized. The committee adjourned and will go to Washington, where a few more witnesses will be examined who were expected to testify to-day, but who were out of town.

OUR RELATIONS WITH CANADA.

Testimony Given Before the Senate Committee in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Before the Senate committee on Canadian affairs the first witness was Capt. Peter J. Balton, of Gloucester, Mass., representative of the National Fishermen's association. He testified to the difficulty over the fisheries to the trouble experienced by American fishermen in securing bait under the relations now existing. He was very bellicose in his utterances and suggested retaliation in a timely manner. Mr. Erasmus Wiman was next examined, and made his stock arguments in favor of annexation, which caused Chairman Hoar to remark that in his opinion, and in that of his colleagues, the movement toward annexation should be made by Canada. He said the heads of the great United States thought of political annexation by force or use of power. Francis Wayland Glenn, a former resident of Canada and a member of the Dominion parliament for North Toronto for nine years previous to 1886, was also a witness before the commission. "Canada will come here," he said pointedly, "unless the people of the United States themselves prevent her. She has milk and honey beyond the St. Lawrence and wants to share it."

Our Department for the Making of Little Girls Wardrobes is in Charge of Miss Arquit and in her department she can please ANY CUSTOMER.

The Odell Type Writer is daily gaining friends. It is a little beauty and a perfect machine. Call on Ralph F. Elliott, our manager of that department and let show you the writer.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Just taken, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Eliza streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

The largest and best assortment of family and teacher's bibles at Sutherland's book store.

CRIMES—We show them by the car load.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mother's Glove cleaner; for sale only at Burns & Boland's dry goods store.

Seasoned Wood.

FALL PRICES. Maple, sawed twice and split, \$6.00 to \$7.25. Oak, sawed twice and split 6.00 to 6.25. Poplar, sawed twice and split, 5.00 to 5.50. Pine slabs, sawed twice and split, 4.50. Fine kindling, 5 cents per bunch. All wood thoroughly seasoned.

SMITH & GATELEY.

Look—At those choice lots in the first ward for sale by D. CONGER.

On—away and sack business suits in great variety and at living prices at Zeigler's.

Fine ladies' Dongola kid shoes at \$1.50. M. SAMUELS.

If you want a fine, new home in this city, see me before you buy. D. CONGER.

FOR RENT.—House No. 205 Division street, near high school. Wm. Ross.

Hard Times Prices. Wood all sawed twice and split. Hard maple, \$7.25; second growth oak, \$6.00; poplar, \$5.00; pine slabs, \$5.00 per cord. Best Lehigh and Scranton hard coal at prices that always sell. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Telephone 62. East side customers leave orders at Myers' grocery.

A nice line of slippers for the holiday. Call and see. M. SAMUELS.

After you have made a tour of the market call at T. J. Zeigler's for bargains in clothing.

D. Conger's office is the place for bargains in houses, lots, farms and western land.

The Milwaukee Clothing Co. are positively going out of business Jan. 1st. Look out for bargains.

Almeria grapes, Florida oranges & Denniston's.

A few boarders wanted at 206 South Franklin street.

50 horse blankets at net cost. Baker Blankets at \$3.50. Fine robes at factory prices. WM. SABLES, South Main street.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

Office No. 1 in my block. ED. F. OARSTEN, 100 N. Main.

WARM WEATHER DID IT!

OVERSTOCKED.

\$10,000 Surplus Stock

OF MEN'S BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

Suits, Overcoats, and Underwear.

To be closed out at manufacturers' cost and below

FOR - THE - NEXT - THIRTY - DAYS.

I have this day placed on separate tables in my store the above

amount of surplus stock, which I propose to close

REGARDLESS OF COST!

This is not old trash, but simply

AN OVERSTOCK OF NEW GOODS!

All manufactured expressly for me this season by such manufacturers as Henry W. King & Co., the largest manufacturers of Fine

Clothing in the world.

This Is Your Chance

To buy good, straight goods at less than value. Call early and

secure the best bargains, as this sale will positively not last

longer than 30 days.

T. J. ZEIGLER,

Smith's Block The Square Dealer in Clothing

Some men are born great, Some achieve greatness, While others have greatness thrust upon them. —SHAKESPEARE.

Some men are born great bargains buyers Some achieve the act of buying bargains, While our customers have bargains thrust upon them. MILWAUKEE CLOTHING CO.

THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30

Subscription and Advertising Rates.

DAILY. Per year payable in monthly installments. \$4.00. Single copies, 10 cents. **WE PUBLISH FREE.** Marriage, death and obituary notices, without charge. Also notices of church and society meetings. **WE PUBLISH AT HALF RATE.** Church and society notices of entertainment given for revenue. **WE CHARGE FULL RATES.** For notices of theatricals, musicals, financial statements of insurance companies and all other classes of items not considered news.

Is the best advertising medium in Southern Wisconsin, and our rates are based on our circulation for local or distant advertising. City furnished on application. **APRIL 15, 1888.** THE GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

TO-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

Born: Ferdinand de Lesseps, 1805. Bourne, 1778. Died: Montgomery killed, 1775. Gambetta, 1882. John Wycliffe (reformer) 1384. Battle of Quebec, 1759.

THE COMING OF ANOTHER BATTLE.

The laboring men—those organized into unions and associations—have engaged in a good many battles with their employers and have lost far more than they have won. From 1881 to 1886 both inclusive, the loss of wages to strikers and to employees through lockouts, was \$59,972,000. This enormous loss was distributed among the employees of 24,518 establishments, and the loss to each striker was a little over \$40.

No great principle has ever been settled in this country by strikes. No union or other association has ever been itself by striking. No campaign against any great corporation has ever proved beneficial to the men engaged in it. And yet another battle has been appointed by the leaders in the labor organization, the American federation of labor has adopted a resolution which commits that body to a movement which shall seek to secure the eight hour system to the persons belonging to the order.

There are a good many trades engaged in this campaign, and the plan is to make it aggressive in all the large cities, and a forward movement is to be ordered on the first of next May. While preparation is going on in the United States for this contest, some of the leading statesmen of England have been asked to use their influence in favor of this measure. It is said that "Mr. Gladstone waived the question, on the ground that this reform must await the winning of home rule."

Lord Randolph Churchill unhesitatingly endorsed the movement. Mr. John Morley declared his opposition to eight-hour legislation, but expressed his belief in the eight-hour principle. "We must remember," he says, "that our working classes are not mere machines, they are not merely hands; they have heads, and they have hearts and homes to look after." By the efforts of the trade-unions he would have the reform accomplished in England, as it has already been accomplished in Australia.

The opposition to this limitation of the hours of labor will come from that large class of employers who can not see their way clear to pay ten hours' wages for eight hours' work. If the American federation of labor will be fair in the campaign against the ten or the twelve hour system, and ask for eight hours' pay for a corresponding number of hours' labor, there would be no fight between the employer and the employee. The history of the movements to shorten the hours of work in this country has not shown a spirit of fairness on the part of the leaders. In the present condition of the manufacturing business it would be a great injustice to demand a reduction of the hours of labor without a corresponding reduction in wages. Short-hour restrictions are all right when accompanied by short-wage restrictions; but to move for a reduction of hours, and yet contend for the old standard of wages, will do much to arouse a prejudice against the movement.

There are some trades in which the eight-hour system would prove a blessing to the employee. The public good would be promoted if thousands of sober-minded, industrious, honest laborers could work but eight hours. Those engaged in self-culture, in building up an intelligent home, in preparing themselves for a higher citizenship, would be especially benefited by the demanded restriction of the hours of labor. So that if the movement is for the making of better men, better homes, better citizens, every person who has many sympathy for the great army of laborers, will wish it the highest success.

THE DEMOCRATS AND THE BENNETT LAW. The Milwaukee Sentinel quotes Senator Nash as saying that the democratic party of Wisconsin will sustain the Bennett law in the next campaign, the senator saying: "No intelligent layman, whether he be German or American born, wishes for such a condition for himself or for his children. And if the state is to continue to control the training of its citizens, who will deny that a knowledge of the English language is an indispensable part of each training?"

There seems to be some strong indications that Senator Nash may be in error in his statement. It is hoped not for it is far better for the reputation of the state, and for the democratic party, of course, to stand up squarely for so righteous a measure as that known as the Bennett law. But from the tone of many democratic papers which do not seem to care for party honor, there will be an effort made to commit the democratic party against the policy of teaching English in parochial schools. If the democratic take issue with the republicans on this law, the former will have to go in the campaign next fall with a resolution in their platform to this effect:

"Resolved that the democratic party of Wisconsin is opposed to the Bennett law for the reason that it provides that the English language shall be taught for at least twelve weeks each year in the parochial schools of this state: The democratic party maintains that the English language is not necessary, and should not be taught the children of foreign born parents without the consent of the

of Wisconsin does not see why the German children of the state should be put on the same footing as American children as regards intelligent citizenship and advantages in the race of life."

The democratic party will appear in a ridiculous light with this sort of a resolution in its platform; and yet some of the party managers are practically adopting the spirit of this resolution.

In regard to Hartley Clifford, the murderer of Captain Pugh, now serving a life sentence at Waupun, the Racine Journal prints the following story:

"It is said that Hartley Clifford, the murderer of Capt. Wm. Pugh, takes the disappointment caused by the governor's refusal of a pardon very hard. A man, who saw him at Waupun, states that he is completely crushed and has aged ten years. He has given up all hope of ever leaving prison life. 'The most to be pitted,' said an old-time acquaintance of the family, yesterday, is his aged widowed mother. Both her husband and her son have contributed to whitening her hair. Did you ever hear about Hartley's father? One day he disappeared and no trace could ever be found of him. He vanished as completely as though he had swallowed him up, and for twelve years his family were unable to explain what had become of him. One day there came to the door of the old home a stranger in rags, and he was recognized as the husband and father who had disappeared twelve years before. Those twelve years were a blank to the wanderer, for he was never able to tell from the day of his return to the day of his death how he had come to wander away or how he had spent all those years."

The first census bulletin has been issued from Washington, which shows the division of this state into supervisor districts, of which there are five as follows:

First—Dodge, Jefferson, Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha counties.

Second—Oconto, Shawano, Green, Jackson, Iowa, La Fayette, Richland, Rock, Sauk and Vernon counties.

Third—Adams, Brown, Outagamie, Oshkosh, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Kewaunee, Manitowish, Marinette, Oconto, Pierce, Sawyer, St. Croix, Trempealeau and Washburn counties.

Fourth—Ashland, Clark, Florence, Forest, Lincoln, Lincoln, Marathon, Marinette, Oconto, Oneida, Portage, Price, Shawano, Taylor, Waupaca and Waushara counties.

Fifth—Barron, Bayfield, Buffalo, Burnett, Chippewa, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson, La Crosse, Monroe, Pepin, Polk, Pierce, Sawyer, St. Croix, Trempealeau and Washburn counties.

The supervisors of these districts have not yet been appointed.

The Congressional hand-book for 1889 shows a church membership in this country of 475,903 and 680,672 Sunday school scholars. The total gain over 1888 is 165 churches, 124 ministers, 18,024 church members, and 28,987 Sunday school scholars. There was also a gain of \$110,078 in contributions. The increase in other denominations during the past year is also quite large. The outlook for Bob Ingersoll is not the best. To darkness seems to be gathering about him, and the choruses are putting his theories to flight. Colonel Bob is certainly having a hard time of it.

According to General Fairchild, who has just returned from the Cherokee country, those Indians, or at least their representatives in the Cherokee council, are mostly white, are educated men, and about as astute and sharp as a bargain as any down East Yankee. —Milwaukee Sentinel.

It was a good thing for the Indians that they had the Yankee sharpness in defending their own rights, or otherwise the Cleveland administration would have got their land for comparatively nothing. The Indians were sharper than Vitas.

The bar of this state will deeply regret to hear of the death of the Hon. Alva Stewart, judge of the Ninth judicial circuit. He had been ill for several weeks and died at his home at Portage on Monday night. He had been judge for a number of years, and was counted one of the ablest judges on the circuit bench.

With its intense itching, dry hot skin, broken into small cracks, and the little water pimples, often causes indescribable suffering. Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful power over this disease. It purifies the blood and expels the humor, and the skin has its own natural color and beauty restored. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a book containing many statements of cures, to C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR EYES. Dr. B. MINCE, the eminent oculist of Detroit, Mich., will visit every town in this country during the winter. Any one suffering with weak eyes, or eyes abused by inferior glasses, should not fail to see him. Orders left at the post-office will be promptly attended to. No extra charge for examining or visiting patients at their homes.

TRouble IN THE COAL REGIONS. Striking Pennsylvania Miners Prepared to Resist Eviction From Their Homes. ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 31.—The strike in the Pennsylvania coal regions is becoming more serious and fears of bloodshed are entertained. The miners say they will accept of nothing short of their demand for increased wages. Three car loads of Pinkerton detectives arrived in the region to-day. The operators gave the men two weeks' notice to either return to work or quit the company's homes. This limit will expire Wednesday next. The miners say they will pay no attention to either request. Reports say that a fierce battle is anticipated. During the past week the miners have been armed with Winchester rifles and many miners have the same kind of weapons.

KEMMLER MUST DIE. A Decision Rendered Declaring the Electrical Penalty Constitutional. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 31.—The General Term of the Fifth Department has handed down a decision in the case of Kemmler, the murderer condemned to death under the new law providing for the execution of criminals by electricity. This law the court holds to be constitutional.

Carnegie's Men to Get More Pay. PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 31.—The employees of Carnegie's Homestead Steel Works have been notified by the firm that the scale of wages will go into effect on Tuesday evening, Dec. 31. The advance in wages will average about 10 cents per ton. The scale has not been arranged, but will be before the month expires.

Low Water for the Holidays. For the Christmas and New Year's holidays the Chicago & North-Western Railway will sell excursion tickets at low rates. For full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western.

Advice to Mothers. Mrs. Wrentham's Brooming Hair and Scalp Dressing is the best for children. It keeps the hair healthy and softens the scalp, and is the best for the hair.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Illinois Fish Commissioners have decided to put a fish way in the Sangamon river at Decatur.

Mr. SOL WHITE, the most prominent annexationist in Canada, has been nominated for Mayor of Windsor, Ont., by acclamation.

THOMAS A. EDISON and wife, accompanied by Marjorie Demeyer, daughter of Marquis Demeyer, of Paris, have been visiting relatives in Newark, Ohio.

The Illinois State Auditor has granted permission for the organization of the Farmers' State Bank of Marengo, Ill., with a capital stock of \$25,000.

Governor HILL has appointed Alexander C. Eustace, of Elmira, State Civil Service Commissioner in place of James H. Manning, who recently resigned in a "huff."

The provisional committee of the non-partisan Women's Christian Temperance Union, has issued a call for a national meeting at Music Hall, Cleveland, on Jan. 22, for the purpose of organizing a national association.

MISS ANNA BRADBURY of Council Bluffs, Iowa, has located her daughter, who was stolen fifteen years ago, in Saint Louis, Mo. The girl wrote letters about the country to people of the same name, and so reached her mother.

TWENTY-SIX passengers on the Chesapeake & Ohio train that was wrecked at White Sulphur Springs on Saturday morning have signed a paper stating that in their opinion the cause of the wreck was rotten ties, a bad rail and high rate of speed.

The wife of Gen. Longstreet died in Gainesville, Ga.

VICE ADMIRAL MAOQUE DE BLOND DE SAINT HILAIRE is dead in Paris.

CORA KENNEDY, the American poetess, has died at Ospedaleto, Italy.

ALEXANDER HAMILTON, a grandson of the first secretary of the treasury, died at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, aged 60.

PROF. MELVILLE B. BLAINE, principal teacher at the Chemawa Indian Training school, near Salem, Ore., and brother of Secretary James B. Blaine, died after a brief illness, aged 63 years. He was a man of rare ability, a fine speaker, and a able educator.

CRIMINAL NOTES. BURGLARS opened the dry goods house of J. H. C. Peterson's Sons in Geneseo, Ill., and stole goods to the amount of \$3,000.

STEPHEN HALLAM, one of the oldest settlers of Centerville, Ill., died from the effects of a dose of arsenic taken with suicidal intent.

SAM GADGE and Andrew Bowman had a trivial quarrel at Chattanooga, Tenn., which resulted in Bowman's stabbing Gadge through the heart with a pocket knife, killing him almost instantly. Bowman escaped.

ROBERT THRESEER, who murdered his brother-in-law Fred Williams, at Ashbow, Ind., a week ago, and who has been in hiding since, has surrendered to the authorities of the law. A better feeling prevails and there is no longer fear of a lynching.

JOHN W. TATE was murdered at his home near Coffee Creek, Ark., by unknown persons, who stole his watch and emptied his pockets. Tate was the proprietor of a "blind tiger," and seven indictments were pending against him for illegal traffic in whisky.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fry celebrated the golden wedding recently at Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Fry is a retired merchant. They had but one child, the late Col. William H. Fry, who commanded the Sixteenth regiment of Pennsylvania volunteers during the late war.

THE MARKETS. Chicago, Dec. 30.—Grain.—Eastern Wheat—Opened quiet, declining 1/2c. No. 1 regular December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 2 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 3 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 4 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 5 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 6 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 7 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 8 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 9 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 10 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 11 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c. No. 12 December 77 1/2c, closing at 77 1/2c.

Provisions.—Firm at 52 1/2c advance. Pork—Year 84 1/2c, January 84 1/2c, May 84 1/2c, September 84 1/2c. Lard—Year 84 1/2c, January 84 1/2c, May 84 1/2c, September 84 1/2c. Beef—Year 84 1/2c, January 84 1/2c, May 84 1/2c, September 84 1/2c.

Seeds—Steady; by sample No. 1 flax 1 1/2c; Timothy, 1 1/2c; Clover, 1 1/2c; Mammoth Clover, 1 1/2c; Millet, 25c. Live Stock—Receipts of cattle, 10,000; about all natives; demand fair with a slight upturn all around. Receipts of hogs, 17,000; demand steady with an upturn of 10c on all classes; packers paid 13 1/2c to 14c, and light hogs sold uniformly at 13 1/2c, or higher than Saturday. Receipts of sheep, 7,000; all sold, but prices were about 10c below.

New York, Dec. 30.—The situation this morning was a continuation of that of Saturday, and at the opening of the market was very heavy, first prices being generally from 1/2 to 1 percent lower. At the close, however, the market met with most pronounced support, and further declines in most of the list were insignificant, while many stocks recovered fractionally in the early part of the day. At 1 o'clock the market was rather quiet and fairly steady at small and irregular changes from opening prices. After 1 o'clock there was considerable animation in Union Pacific, St. Paul and several other active stocks, and prices continued to creep up. At noon the market was dull and steady in tone, generally at slight fractions better than the opening price. Money is tight at 20 percent. Bar silver, 64 1/2.

New York, Dec. 30.—WHEAT—No. 2 Red strong, 60c; high grade moderate demand; January 59 1/2c; February 59 1/2c; March 59 1/2c; April 59 1/2c; May 59 1/2c; June 59 1/2c; July 59 1/2c; August 59 1/2c; September 59 1/2c; October 59 1/2c; November 59 1/2c; December 59 1/2c.

Foreign. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 30.—POUR—In poor demand; Prime Mess Eastern 54 1/2d, dull; do Western 54 1/2d, firm. LARD—In poor demand; spot December, January and February 22s, steady. WHEAT—In better demand; No. 2 Winter 46 1/2d, firm. Spring 46 1/2d, firm. FLOUR—In better demand; at 10s 1/2d, steady. CORN—In fair demand; spot 46 1/2d, steady. December 46 1/2d, steady; January 46 1/2d, steady; February 46 1/2d, steady.

Toledo, Dec. 30.—WHEAT—Quiet and steady; cash and December 84 1/2c; January 84 1/2c; May 84 1/2c; September 84 1/2c. CORN—Quiet and steady; cash and December 22 1/2c; January 22 1/2c; May 22 1/2c; September 22 1/2c. OATS—Quiet and steady; cash and December 18 1/2c; January 18 1/2c; May 18 1/2c; September 18 1/2c.

The Grave Gate Tr. & Yawling. Seemingly, for certain wretched invalids who fiddle feebly along, though always looking as if they were going to die, but something to do it. They dry up, wither, dwindle away finally, but in the meantime never having robust health, know nothing of the physical enjoyment, the zest of that existence to which they cling with such remarkable tenacity. They are always to be found trying to mend by tinkering at themselves with some "silly remedy, tonic or 'pick me up' to give a flip to digestion, or 'help the liver.' If such misguided folks would resort and adhere to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters it would be well with them. This superb invigorant supplies the element that the feeble require, by permanently reinforcing digestion and assimilation. It overcomes nervousness, anæmia, malarial, kidney complaints, indigestion, constipation, rheumatism and neuritis.

Advice to Mothers. Mrs. Wrentham's Brooming Hair and Scalp Dressing is the best for children. It keeps the hair healthy and softens the scalp, and is the best for the hair.

TRAFFIC RESUMED.

Railroad Connections to California Heretofore Suspended, are Resumed.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 31.—Monday four tons of delayed eastern mail arrived. To-day ten tons more will arrive. By tonight it is expected that trains will start for El Paso, and it is expected to have the Soledad canyon so cleared that a train can get through from San Francisco. The Santa Fe expects to have a train from Barstow through by Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 31.—The Southern Pacific road is open to Mojave and mails for Arizona, New Mexico, and the Southern States, which have been sent by way of Ogden, owing to the blockades and washouts, will be forwarded by the Southern Pacific to connect with the Atlantic & Pacific road at Mojave until such time as the Southern Pacific road is repaired between Mojave and Los Angeles. If there should be no more storms to-day or to-morrow the southern overland train leaving San Francisco Tuesday night will go through El Paso and carry all the delayed mails for southern California and the East.

BURIED IN THE RUINS. At St. Louis a Building Collapsed and Many Are Supposed to Have Perished.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 31.—The new Academy of Music, in course of erection at the corner of Washington avenue and Thirteenth street, fell with a crash this morning.

Fifty men were at work upon it at the time, some of whom escaped, but a number, at present unknown, are missing and are supposed to be buried in the ruins. It is impossible as yet to tell the full extent of the accident owing to the excitement and confusion. The work of clearing away the ruins and searching for victims is going on as rapidly as possible.

LATER.—The search revealed only one wounded man, William Litford, who has a rib broken and is somewhat bruised. Nobody was killed. The building is a mass of rubbish. The cause of the accident is not yet known, but it is thought there was a bed of quicksand under the structure.

BANK ROBBER CAUGHT. A Confession to the Woman He Loved Led to His Arrest.

GREEN BAY, Wis., Dec. 31.—A man named Ingalls was arrested at Deperes Sunday afternoon for connection with the Hurley bank robbery. He has made full confession. Ingalls, the authorities say, has served two or three terms in the penitentiary. He left Hurley some time after the robbery. At Writstown, this country, Ingalls lived with a family named Clifford, and it is alleged, because so familiar with the family that he little told Mrs. Clifford the story of the Hurley robbery, stating his own connection with the case and implicating several other parties. He named the man who opened the bank vault and who handled the money to confederates in waiting.

Mrs. Mantwill and Bruno Eberling Free. CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—The habeas corpus case of Mrs. Mantwill and Bruno Eberling, who were arrested on suspicion of knowing something about the robbery of Max Mantwill, came up before Judge Grinnell this morning. Both the man and the woman were released on their own recognizance.

Samuel J. Randall's Condition. COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 31.—Isaac R. Hill of this State arrived from Washington last evening. He is an intimate friend of Randall, and says privately that the condition of the latter is much worse than has been reported, and that Randall will never occupy his seat in the House again.

It Was Not a Double Murder. PHAIDR DU CHIEU, Wis., Dec. 31.—Later developments in the case of the shooting of Jerry O'Neill and his wife at Mount Sterling, this county, show that it was an attempt at murder and suicide. Both parties are still alive, though neither is likely to recover.

FOR RENT—A front room at 104 Park Place, facing the court house, central, south. Inquire on the premises.

New supply of those bamboo easels a Sutherland's bookstore.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round trip excursion tickets for the Christmas and New Year holidays, to points within a distance of 200 miles, at one full fare and a third for the round trip. Sell December 24th, 25th, 31st, 1889, and January 1st, 1890, good to return until and including January 3rd, 1890.

Dyspepsia. Makes many lives miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. Distress after eating, indigestion, heartburn, sour stomach, mental depression, etc., are caused by this very common and increasing disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla tones the system, creates an appetite, promotes healthy digestion, relieves sick headache, clears the mind, and cures the most obstinate cases of dyspepsia. Read the following:

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia. I had little appetite, and what I did eat distressed me, or did me little good. In an hour after eating food I felt a great heaviness or tired, all-gone feeling, as though I had not eaten anything. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me an immense amount of good. It gave me an appetite, and my food readily assimilated. The craving I had previously experienced. It relieved me of that fat, tired, all-gone feeling. I have felt so much better since I took Hood's Sarsaparilla that I am happy to recommend it." G. A. FAGE, Watertown, Mass. N. B. Be sure to get only

Hood's Sarsaparilla Sold by all druggists. 21c per box. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. 100 Doses One Dollar

We Intend To Make the last week of December, 1889, a memorable week in the history of River-view Park. Memorable in that we shall (weather permitting) progress much in our plans of improvement, progress to point far beyond what we hoped for this winter. Then, too, we expect to make it memorable in that we shall offer bargains that we shall never again be able to offer. We will give all who buy the next six days, prices and terms below, and easier than it will be possible to do after January 1st. We will guarantee to any buyer who purchases between now and Tuesday night next that shall they so wish we will take their lot back on Dec. 15th, 1890, and pay them exactly ten percent profit on all money they have before that date paid us. We make this proposition that we may sell as many lots as possible before 1889 closes. To those who desire to avail themselves of this proposition we will give them with their contract or deed our WRITTEN GUARANTEE to do just what we here propose. We know what River-view Park will be a year hence. You do not know, consequently this proposition for this closing week of the year. We know that no owner in our beautiful park will be willing to sell for twenty percent advance after June 1, next. Come and see us.

Yours very truly, G. M. L. AND SARAH H. CARBINGTON.

Pocket match safe for smokers of

WANTED. A person to be employed in the office of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. The person should be a native-born American, of good character, and able to do the work of the office. The salary will be \$100 per month. The person should be able to do the work of the office. The salary will be \$100 per month. The person should be able to do the work of the office. The salary will be \$100 per month.

Good morning! "Paris Exposition, 1889." Pears obtained the only gold medal awarded solely for toilet SOAP in competition with all the world. Highest possible distinction.

ARE YOU THINKING OF A SUIT OF CLOTHES? OR AN OVERCOAT?

If you are, we want your attention and present a few facts worth remembering. After all the "school boy" slander you have read, a little COMMON SENSE will be refreshing. We are in the Clothing business to stay; at our goods were bought in open market for spot cash, consequently we are enabled to NAME THE VERY LOWEST PRICE! 95 percent of our stock is new for this fall and winter's trade—a larger proportion than any other house by 50 percent. DO NOT FORGET! WE will NOT BE UNDERSOLD, and the extravagant claims made by some Clothing houses will not bear the light of day. They never have or cannot duplicate our prices. Our trade has doubled since coming among you and we are surely "getting there." Suits, Overcoats and Furnishings Our Selections are not Surpassed by any stock. All goods of reliable makes. Inspection of our stock and prices will convince you. All are cordially invited, to look our line over. Hooley novelties now in order.

FRANK H. BAACK & CO. 22 West Milwaukee Street. A RELIABLE PLACE. Don't You Think a Christmas Present "Red Cross Stoves and Ranges" ONLY 30 DAYS LONGER LEFT in which to buy such bargains as you will not soon see again. We have a good assortment, and the vast throngs of buyers attest to the fact that we are the only house.

PAIR OF SKATES or HAND SLED OR A NICE Bed Room Suite or a Nice Lounge, OR A NICE GRISWOLD & SANBORN. Repairs for Badger Stoves and Ranges

25 YEARS DEVOTED TO THE TREATMENT OF CHRONIC DISEASES. This extensive experience with thousands of patients enables me to cure every curable case. Those afflicted with diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Heart, Liver, Kidney, Nervous, Brain, or any other organ, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Old Bilious, Youtful Indigestions, Cancers, Old Sores, Tumors, Fits, any Chronic Ailment, are invited to call and examine my record of cases cured, when hope of cure had been abandoned. Candid in my examinations, reasonable in my charges, and never encourage without a surety of success.

DR. F. B. BREWER, 136 Chicago Ave., Evanston, Ill. Will call on Whitecourt, Wisconsin, at Evanston, on Thursday the 24th of January.

A Merry Christmas! What shall we buy for Christmas is a puzzling question. THE MAGNET! with its wonderful assortment, supplies a ready answer. From the cheapest toy to an endless line of fine goods, every department is complete. YOU CAN BUY AT A BARGAIN Mufflers, Handkerchiefs, Fancy Baskets, Plush Goods, Lamps, China Sets, Perfumery, Odd Pieces of China, Albums, Mirrors, Dolls, Jewelry, Children's Books, Fancy Stationery, Children's Plush Bonnets, Toys, Fancy Towels, Chamolins Skins Plush and Felt, And all kinds of Fancy Work Materials. Special Ribbon Sale Every day but Sunday

CHILD & CO., CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE. INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE. The Insurance and Real Estate office Room 10, second floor in the Jackson Block, is represented the old, strong. Leading Insurance Companies OF AMERICA AND EUROPE. They can truthfully be said to be TIME - TRIED - AND - FIRE - TESTED. ALSO THE Travelers' Accident Insurance Company THE LARGEST IN THE WORLD. Thankful for past favors and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am Very Respectfully, SILAS HAYNER, Agent

CHRISTMAS. MUFFLERS AND NECKWEAR. Largest and Finest line in the City. All prices, from 25 ct. up. We are giving great reductions in Underwear and Hosiery. We laid in a large stock of these goods for the cold weather and as we have not had any, we will sell them at prices to close. You may have them At Your Own Price. We carry an Elegant line of Suits, Overcoatings, Trouserings. Which wear "giving away" at "Warm Weather Prices. Call now while we are anxious to close. These low priced sales will be discontinued after January 1st. DRESS SUITS A SPECIALTY. J. L. FORD. 51 West Milwaukee street.

OTTO GAS ENGINE. Most economical power in use. MEN AT THE GAZETTE OFFICE.

Doing as we Advertise. We are not in the business of throwing mud at our competitors. We leave that to merchants preferring to play the role of a black guard, in order to disguise the fact that they are commercially played out, but when it comes to good, Square, Honest Dealing. We think our customers will say that our flag is pinned to the mast. We are positively closing out all goods at cost and some at less than cost. We have some wonderful BARGAINS!

In Ready-made Clothing, Dry Goods, Overcoats of every description, Blankets, Woolen Goods, Hats and Caps, Underwear, Flannels, White Goods, Embroideries, sets, Laces, Knit Goods, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Holiday Goods. We call particular attention to our CLOTHING department if you are in need of a Suit or Overcoat, either for yourself or boys, look around among our competitors and then come and get our prices, are not afraid of the results.

CHILD & CO., CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE.

INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE. The Insurance and Real Estate office Room 10, second floor in the Jackson Block, is represented the old, strong. Leading Insurance Companies OF AMERICA AND EUROPE. They can truthfully be said to be TIME - TRIED - AND - FIRE - TESTED. ALSO THE Travelers' Accident Insurance Company THE LARGEST IN THE WORLD. Thankful for past favors and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am Very Respectfully, SILAS HAYNER, Agent

CHILD & CO., CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE.

INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE. The Insurance and Real Estate office Room 10, second floor in the Jackson Block, is represented the old, strong. Leading Insurance Companies OF AMERICA AND EUROPE. They can truthfully be said to be TIME - TRIED - AND - FIRE - TESTED. ALSO THE Travelers' Accident Insurance Company THE LARGEST IN THE WORLD. Thankful for past favors and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am Very Respectfully, SILAS HAYNER, Agent

